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**Colleen A. Brown**  
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Term Expires: April 9, 2014

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**Government:** Assistant U.S. Trustee for the Western District of New York

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Lawrence, Werner, Kesselring, Swartout & Brown, LLP; In-house Counsel, The Canandaigua National Bank and Trust Company

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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**Number of Vacancies:** 2

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**James R. Spencer**  
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
Education: Clark Atlanta 1971 BA; Harvard 1974 JD; Howard U 1985 MDiv  
Began Service: 1986  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor of Law, University of Virginia (1987)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Virginia, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1978); Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Virginia, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1983)

**Legal Practice:** Staff Attorney, Atlanta Legal Aid Society (1974-1975)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1975-1978); United States Army Reserve, United States Department of the Army (1981-1986)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Bar Association of the District of Columbia; The District of Columbia Bar; Old Dominion Bar Association; Richmond Bar Association; State Bar of Georgia; Virginia State Bar

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**Rebecca Beach Smith**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
Education: William & Mary 1971 BA; Virginia 1973 MA;  
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Began Service: 1989  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia (1985-1989)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Willcox & Savage, P.C. (1980-1985)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Fourth Circuit Judicial Conference; The Supreme Court Historical Society; Virginia State Bar

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**Leonie M. Brinkema**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1944  
Education: Rutgers 1966 BA, 1970 MLS; Cornell 1976 JD  
Began Service: October 21, 1993  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Virginia, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1977-1983); Trial Attorney, Office of International Affairs, United States Department of Justice (1983-1984)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia (1985-1993)

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**Current Memberships:** Alexandria Bar Association; Virginia State Bar; Virginia Women Attorneys Association

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**Raymond A. Jackson**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
Education: Norfolk State 1970 BA; Virginia 1973 JD  
Began Service: 1993  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Adjunct Faculty, Marshall-Wythe School of Law, The College of William and Mary (1984-1993)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Virginia, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1977-1993)

**Legal Practice:** Captain, Judge Advocate General's Corp United States Army (1973-1977)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1973-1977); Colonel United States Army Reserve, United States Department of the Army

**Current Memberships:** The P'Anson-Hoffman American Inn of Court; Norfolk and Portsmouth Bar Association; Old Dominion Bar Association; South Hampton Roads Bar Association; United States District Judges Association; The Virginia Law Foundation; Virginia State Bar

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**Gerald Bruce Lee**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1952  
Education: American U 1973 BA, 1976 JD  
Began Service: October 9, 1998  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Adjunct Professorial Lecturer, American University (1974-1978)

**Government:** Virginia Appointee, Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority (1990-1992)

**Judicial:** Judge, Virginia Circuit Court, 19th Judicial Circuit (1992-1998)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Wiggs & Holland (1976-1977); Attorney/Partner, Wiggs & Lee (1977-1978); Attorney/Partner, Wiggs Lee & McClerkin (1978-1980); Law Offices of Gerald Bruce Lee (1980-1983); Attorney/Partner, Lee & Finch (1983-1985); Law Offices of Gerald Bruce Lee & Associates (1985-1986); Attorney/Principal, Cohen, Dunn & Sinclair, P.C. (1986-1992)

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